

University of Manchester: Senate and General Assembly

Senate

The Senate is our principal academic authority. It is responsible for the promotion of research, the regulation and monitoring of standards in teaching, and the regulation of discipline of the University students.

It meets at least four times a year and is comprised of 70 members. The majority of these are elected academic members, both professorial and non-professorial, with other ex-officio, co-opted and student members.

For more details, visit:

- [Senate | The University of Manchester](#)

General Assembly

The General Assembly is a stakeholder body, connecting our University with the wider community.

It is a two-way channel of communication through which we present our achievements to our broader constituencies and receive feedback and advice on matters relating to University business.

Following recent review and reform, the General Assembly now comprises approximately 80 members drawn from a wide range of local, regional and national interests, and two formal meetings are scheduled each year.

For more details, visit:

- [General Assembly of The University of Manchester](#)